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REQUEST FOR

ED EXAMINATION (RCE) Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000,

Provides for continued examination of a utility or plant

Application filed on or after June 8, 1995.

See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA)

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	may wish to consider filing a continued prosecution application (CPA) under 37 C.F.R. § 153 (d) (PTO/SB/29) instead of
	RCE to be eligible for the patent term adjustment provisions of the AIPA. See Changes to Application Examination and
	Provisional Application Practice, Final Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 50092 (August 16, 2000); Interim Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 14865
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			on(any unentered amendment(s)		
			referred to above will be entered).		
		ii.	Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed		
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		ii. 	Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)		
		iii	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) and PTO-1449		
		iv	Other		
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			C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i) required)		
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	<u>b. , </u>		Other		
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